

College Trigonometry PRACTICE TEST #1 (5.1 – 5.4)
Mrs. Robertson

Name: Solutions

Test is Feb. 3-4 Homework is due Feb. 4 classtime.

**No graphing devices of any kind allowed on this test. All answers are exact unless noted otherwise.
Show work where work is required on the test. Please circle all answers.**

PART 1

1. Find the degree measure of the least positive angle that is coterminal with -1740° .

$$\begin{aligned} \beta &= \alpha + 360^\circ k \\ -1740^\circ &= \alpha + 360^\circ(-5) \\ -1740^\circ &= \alpha - 1800^\circ \\ \boxed{60^\circ} &= \alpha \end{aligned}$$

2. Convert $23^\circ 27' 32''$ to decimal degrees.
Round to 3 decimal places is necessary.

$$23 + \frac{27}{60} + \frac{32}{3600} = 23.45888\bar{8}$$

$$\boxed{\approx 23.459^\circ}$$

3. Convert 51.74° to degrees, minutes and seconds.

$$.74 \times 60 = 44.4 \text{ min}$$

$$.4 \times 60 = 24 \text{ sec.}$$

$$\boxed{51^\circ 44' 24''}$$

4. Convert 105° to radian measure.

$$105^\circ \times \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = \boxed{\frac{7\pi}{12}}$$

5. Change $\frac{10\pi}{3}$ to degree measure.

$$\frac{10\pi}{3} \times \frac{180}{\pi} = \boxed{600^\circ}$$

6. Find the exact length of the arc intercepted by a central angle of 135° in a circle with diameter of 10 feet.

$$s = \alpha r \quad \alpha = \text{central angle in radians} \quad r = \text{radius} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ diameter}$$

$$135^\circ = \frac{3\pi}{4} \quad r = 5 \text{ feet} \quad s = \frac{3\pi}{4} \cdot 5 \text{ ft}$$

$$\boxed{s = \frac{15\pi}{4} \text{ ft}}$$

7. Find the exact value of $\sin(\alpha)$ if $\cos(\alpha) = \frac{1}{4}$ and α is in quadrant I.

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha &= 1 \\ \sin^2 \alpha + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2 &= 1 \\ \sin^2 \alpha &= 1 - \frac{1}{16} \end{aligned} \quad \rightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} \sin^2 \alpha &= \frac{15}{16} \\ \sin \alpha &= \sqrt{\frac{15}{16}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\sin \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}}$$

$$y = 3 \sin[2(x - \pi/2)] + 3$$

8. Determine the following for: $y = 3 \sin(2x - \pi) + 3$

a.) amplitude = 3

b.) period = π

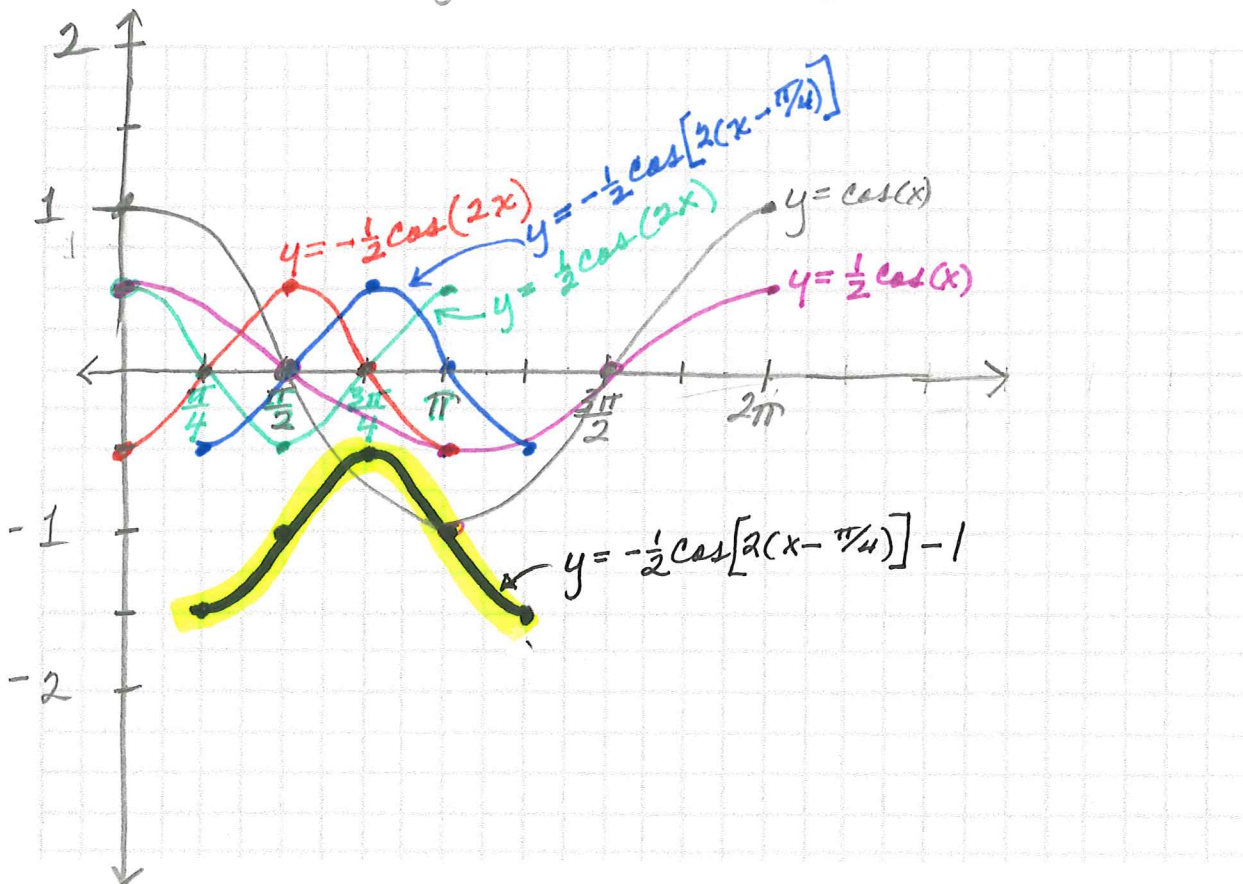
c.) phase shift = right $\frac{\pi}{2}$
(Indicate Left or Right.)

d.) vertical shift = up 3
(Indicate Up or Down.)

e.) range = $[0, 6]$

9. (a) Sketch one cycle of $y = -\frac{1}{2} \cos(2x - \frac{\pi}{4}) - 1$. Include the sketch of the parent function and each transformation. You may use a hi-lighter to indicate your final graph. Be sure to indicate the units on the x- and y- axes.

$$y = -\frac{1}{2} \cos[2(x - \pi/4)] - 1$$



(b) List the **coordinates of the 5 key points** (as ordered pairs) of the sketch of part (a) of your final graph.

$$\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, -\frac{3}{2}\right), \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, -1\right), \left(\frac{3\pi}{4}, -\frac{1}{2}\right), \left(\pi, -1\right), \left(\frac{5\pi}{4}, -\frac{3}{2}\right)$$

PART 2

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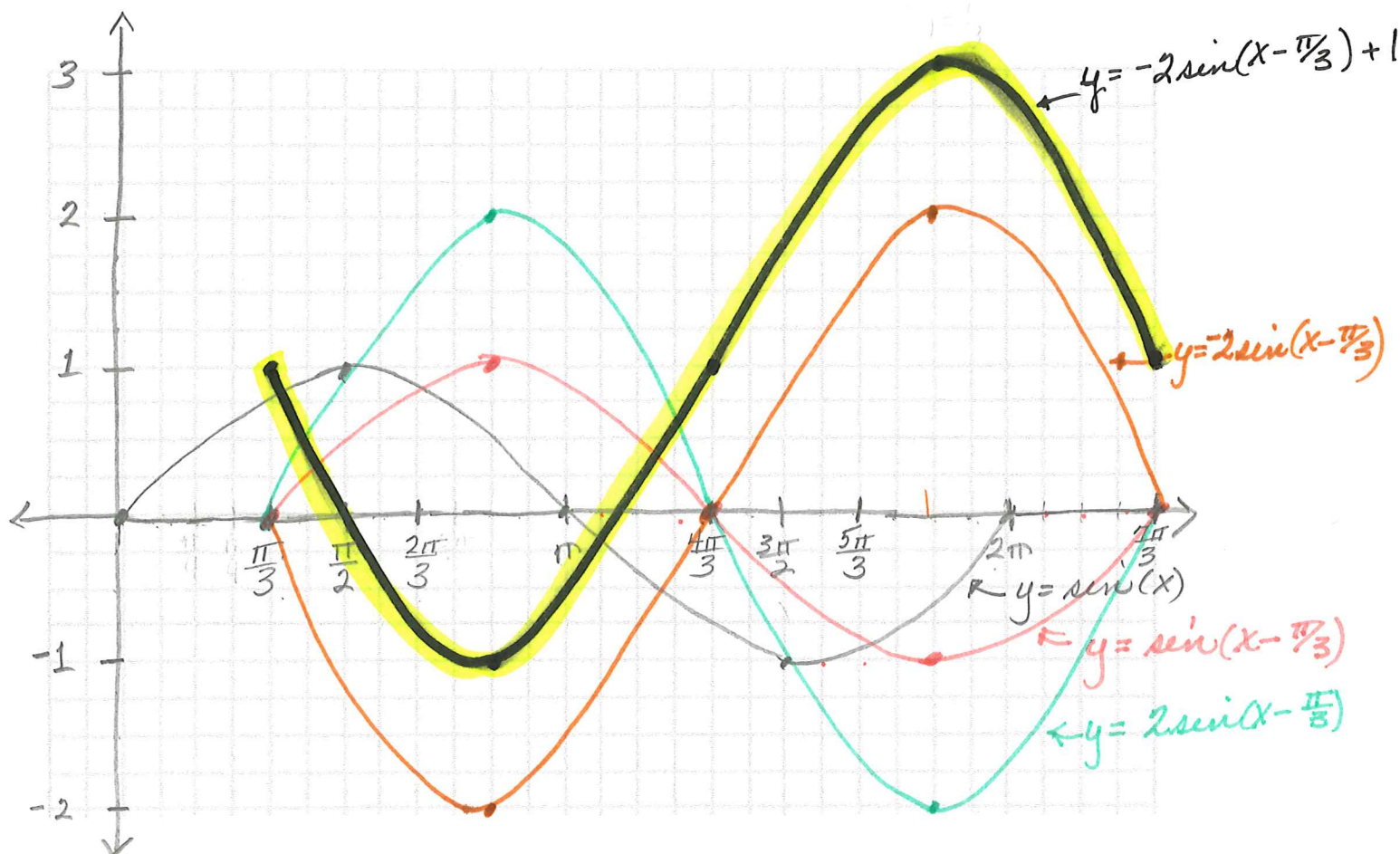
10. What is the frequency of the sine wave determined by: $y = \sec(525\pi x)$ where x is the time in minutes?

$$\text{period} = \frac{2\pi}{525\pi} = \frac{2}{525} \quad \text{frequency} = \frac{525}{2} = \boxed{262.5 \text{ cycles/min}}$$

11. (a) If $y = \sin(x)$ is shifted $\frac{\pi}{3}$ units to the right, reflected in the x -axis, vertically stretched by 2, and shifted 1 unit up, then what is the equation of the curve in its final position?

$$\boxed{y = -2 \sin(x - \frac{\pi}{3}) + 1}$$

- (b) **Sketch** one cycle of this function on graph paper provided. **Label units on x and y axis.** Include the sketch of the parent function and each transformation. You may hi-light your final graph.

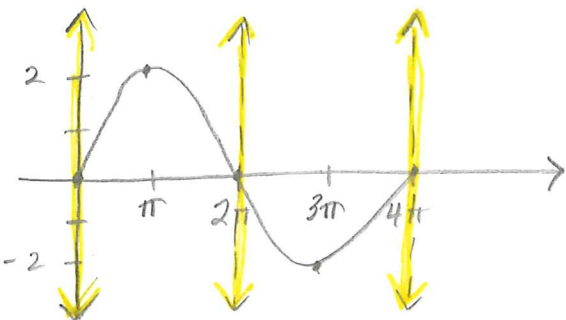


12. What is the period for $y = -3 \tan(\frac{1}{2}x) + 2$?

$$\text{period} = \frac{\pi}{B} = \frac{\pi}{\frac{1}{2}} = \boxed{2\pi}$$

$$y = 2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right) \quad \text{period} = \frac{2\pi}{\frac{1}{2}} = 4\pi$$

13. Find the equations of all asymptotes for $y = 2 \csc\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$ in the interval $[0, 4\pi]$.

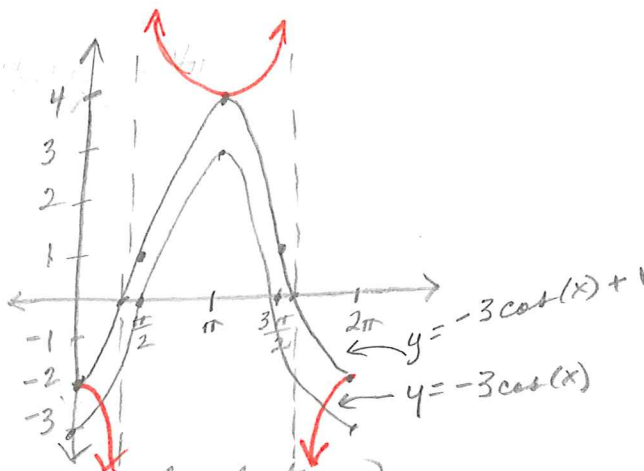


$$\begin{aligned} x &= 0 \\ x &= 2\pi \\ x &= 4\pi \end{aligned}$$

14. What is the range of $y = -3 \sec\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right) + 1$?

$$\text{cos } [-2, 4]$$

$$\text{sec } (-\infty, -2] \cup [4, \infty)$$



Find the exact value of: Show your work - no calculators.

$$15. \tan\left(\frac{4\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}}$$

$$16. \cot\left(\frac{-2\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{\cos x}{\sin x} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}}$$

$$17. \csc\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\csc\left(\frac{7\pi}{4}\right) = \boxed{-2}$$

$$18. \sec\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sec\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}} = \boxed{-\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}}$$